

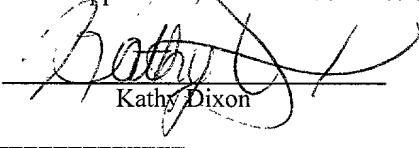
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Inventor(s): Ying-Chuan Lin

For: Method And Apparatus For Detecting Contaminating Species On A Wafer Edge

Submitted herewith are:

1 sheets of formal drawings showing Figs 1-2
 An Assignment of the invention to Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Co., Ltd., together with Assignment Recordal Sheet
 A Declaration for patent application under CFR 1.63 and 1.68

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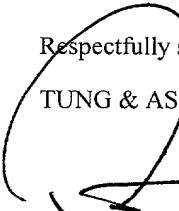
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